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## MOKENA MAY LOSE BOWMAN DAIRY PLANT IF RADICAL CO-OPERATIVE BILL IS ENACTED INTO A LAW

The farmers of Illinois are again facing a proposition which threatens to put them out of business, and especially so, the dairy farmer. The new Milk Producers' Co-operative Marketing Co. bill, which is now in the Assembly, is a vicious measure, and is aimed to tie up the dairy farmer so he cannot even kick.

The Mokena dairymen held a mass meeting, Monday night, at which the matter was thoroughly discussed, and the dairymen were shown the pitfalls in this bill, which, if enacted a law, will force the dairy farmers out of business around Mokena, consequently also the Bowman Dairy plant at Mokena, which would cripple the whole community. People, as a rule, are too easy-going on the new measures that come up, and pay little attention to them until it is too late. This bill would be just as detrimental to the interests of the farmers as the proposed constitution would have been to the people of the State.

Representative John L. Walker of this district was to have given a talk to the dairymen on this matter, but, owing to a death in the family, could not come. However, Mr. Walker is strongly opposed against this measure, and will do all he can at Springfield to kill this measure.

Mr. Walker has carefully gone over the bill, and has discovered many objectionable features. Not only would the dairy farmer be put out of business, but the bill is so cleverly worded that this new outfit would be given the power to destroy co-operative organizations functioning in Illinois. The drastic penalties provided in this bill in connection with contracts signed by farmers are for the purpose of forcing farmers to stick for five or ten years, regardless of the character of the service rendered or the amount of money lost.

The whole idea appears to be that the forces backing this measure seek to secure a monopoly for co-operation to force all the smaller co-operative concerns to come in under one big combine or be frozen out. The trouble with this bill is that there is something behind it, something that masquerades under the name "Co-operative," but which demands provisions that furnish it monopoly power.

Under the measure the new con-

cern may solicit the business of patrons of existing farmers' elevators, but the elevator thus attacked and undermined is subject to severe penalties should it undertake to strike back. It is easy to see that with that kind of a one-sided condition the present co-operative elevator can be put out of business, and its property acquired for a song. It furnishes a simple and effective way for the promoters of the new scheme to quickly and cheaply acquire the property and business that farmer stockholders have spent years in building up.

As Mr. Walker is right on the ground at Springfield, and knows just what is going on, the dairymen around this section feel that he will do all in his power to safeguard their interests in opposing this vicious measure.

About one hundred farmers attended the Mokena meeting, Monday night, and lambasted Senate Bill 165 to a finish. All of the farmers present signed a petition as given below. E. H. Schrage signed the petition as representative of 120 farmers of Crete, Ill.

Two delegates, John Larsen and Clarence M. Cleveland, were elected to go to Springfield and appear before the House Committee on Agriculture in opposition to the bill.

More particulars about this bill will be printed next week. Following is the petition signed by the farmers:

"To the Honorable Wm. R. McCabe, Lottis Holman & Neil and J. L. Walker, Assembly members, Springfield, Illinois:

"Greeting: We, the undersigned dairy farmers of Will County, Illinois, do hereby urge and request you as our Representatives from this District to use every effort and influence at your command to defeat the passage of Senate Bill 165, known as the Co-operative Marketing Act."

Following is a report made by C. M. Cleveland at the Mokena meeting:

A delegate meeting, attended by about one hundred dairy farmers, most of whom were members of the American Farm Bureau, and who represented the various counties of Northern Illinois, was held in Chicago, on Wednesday, April 4th.

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## Non-Partisans Win At Orland

Orland had a surprise at their village election, Tuesday, when the Non Partisan ticket went thru with a landslide vote, electing every candidate with the exception of one for village trustee.

Louis C. Raschke headed this ticket for mayor, and the Republican or regular ticket was headed by Harry A. Cox, former mayor, who was seeking re-election. The Cox forces declared that Mr. Raschke had only resided in Orland 6 months, and therefore could not legally be put up as a candidate for mayor. Circulars were issued quoting the law of 1872, which declared that a candidate must reside in the city or village where he is to be a candidate for at least one year. The Raschke forces got busy and consulted an attorney, who stated that an amendment had been made to the law of 1872, and if a candidate resided 1 year in the State, 90 days in the county, and 30 days in the village, he was eligible to run for office. The Raschke forces got out handbills headed "Do Not Let Mayor Cox Mislead You" and scattered them all over the village on the eve of election. These handbills quoted Section 1, Article 2 of the amending section as follows:

"The chief executive officer of a city shall be a mayor, who shall be a citizen of the United States, a qualified elector, reside within the city limits, and hold his office for 2 years, and until his successor is elected and qualified."

The Cox forces now threaten to unseat the new mayor.

The new officers are: Mayor, Louis C. Raschke; village trustees, Jacob Kramer, Matt Ludwig, Chas. Nicolai; village clerk, Ralph S. Hauss.

The vote was as follows: Republican Ticket—For mayor, Harry A. Cox, 59; for trustees, Jacob Kramer, 92; L. A. Cleveland, 67; Henry Waje, 72; village clerk, Geo. J. Cox, 78. Non-Partisan Ticket—For mayor, Louis C. Raschke, 127; for village trustees, Matt Ludwig, 112; James McNally, 85; Chas. Nicolai, 102; for village clerk, Ralph S. Hauss, 103.

The new administration promises to give the residents many new improvements, chief of which is electric light and power. The Public Service Co. is to bring its line to the golf club grounds, 2 miles north of here, and the new board will make efforts to have the line extended to Orland.

This was the hottest contested election Orland has seen in many years. After the election Tuesday night, the new mayor invited a company of friends to his home to celebrate the victory.

## Palos Park

At Palos Park, Edward Tourtelot was re-elected mayor by 123 votes. Mr. Dunlap, on the opposing side, received 35 votes. The village trustees elected are: John Weeks, J. W. Mahaffy, Waldemar Thorsell; for village clerk, George Hermanson.

## WORTH

At Worth the Citizens ticket elected all its candidates. The vote was as follows: For mayor, Harry F. Woods, 87; for clerk, I. M. Empie; village trustees, Edward Perreller, Harry C. Farrin, Wm. Bride; treasurer, M. J. Kauffman; police magistrate, B. F. Crandell. On the Independent ticket C. C. Toby received 79 votes for mayor.

## CHICAGO RIDGE

At Chicago Ridge the following were elected: Mayor, Henry Schmaulen; for trustees, Peter Lucas, Harvey Foyle, Albert Lange. The vote was as follows: Progressive Ticket: For mayor, Henry Schmaulen, 48; for trustees, Dan Kennedy, 29; Peter Lucas, 58; Harvey Foyle, 40. Citizens Ticket—For mayor, Chas.

## Religion and Klux Made Political Issue at Tinley Park

Religion and the Klux Klan were made issues in a red-hot election at Tinley Park. The Harper and Wyman Camps worked for weeks, and a record-breaking vote was polled. The Wyman forces were accused of being the Klan candidates. No one could prove who was a Klan or was not, although it is said Tinley Park has a large number of Klansmen. At any rate, the so-called "Klans" ticket won out, resulting in the election of Henry Wyman over Francis A. Harper with a big majority. Those elected are as follows: Mayor, Henry Wyman; village trustees, Fred Hick, Bert Fulton and Wm. Wannemacher; police magistrate, Clyde Rice.

## 262 Votes Polled At Tinley Park School Election

Tinley Park is having record breaking elections of late and the climax was reached Saturday night when 262 votes were cast at the school election, this being the largest vote ever polled at such an election here.

The office of school director was the bone of contention. Dr. W. C. Van Wormer who was elected as a member of the local board of education to fill a vacancy was a candidate for re-election for the full term and his was the only name printed on the ballot. At the eleventh hour Wm. Maihoff was put up as the opposition candidate and the battle was on. Dr. Van Wormer had been in Springfield, Iowa, last week and got home just in time to attend the election. The vote was a tie, 131 each, and the election was thrown to the closing of the polls. Mr. Maihoff's name was written in on the ballot and he defeated Dr. Van Wormer with a majority of 11 votes.

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Polchow, 28; for trustees, Albert Lange, 39; Daniel Critige, 32. The election was a hot one, and every voter was gotten out.

## Matteson

Matteson elected the following officers: Mayor, Herman Stege; village trustees, Samuel Sauer, George Fortmiller and Louis Detmering.

## MOKENA

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For mayor, Geo. J. Hacker, 72; village trustees, E. P. Krapp, 61; August Hentsch, 53; Geo. F. Wannemacher, 57; Wm. O. Schmuhl, 19; August Werner, 21; Elmer Cooper, 8.

## FRANKFORT

Frankfort had a very tame election. There was no opposition. Max F. Haas was re-elected mayor, and Fred Marti, Frank Eisenbrandt and B. A. Zechlin were elected trustees.

## HUNDREDS ATTEND DEDICATION OF NEW MOKENA CHURCH SUNDAY; \$1500 RAISED ON INDEBTEDNESS

The biggest event Mokena has ever known is now a matter of history. The auspicious occasion took place Sunday, when the magnificent new \$60,000 St. John Evangelical church was dedicated Sunday morning.

At 10 o'clock the congregation assembled at the old church, where a farewell service was held. Rev. F. Bosold of Manheim, Ill., former pastor here, took part in this service.

At the close of the farewell services, the congregation marched to the new edifice. Here Rev. Wm. Kreis, the pastor of St. John's, read the service at the portals of the new edifice, which was then formally opened for the dedication service.

Rev. G. Goebel, president of the Northern Illinois district of the Evangelical church, preached the dedicatory sermon. He pointed out that there was a woeful lack of the preaching of the gospel in churches, and that the pulpits were being used to preach everything except the eternal truths, and said that no matter how beautiful a church a congregation has, it does not count for much unless the congregation serves the Lord in the right spirit.

Rev. A. B. Goebel, pastor of St. Paul's Evangelical church of Mokena, spoke at this service, and also strongly emphasized the fact that the churches must not let their social activities outdo the preaching of the gospel. He also urged the congregation to attend their services well.

In the afternoon, the service of St. Luke's Evangelical church of Chicago preached. The afternoon and evening services were all in English and the morning service was part in English and German.

Despite the inclement weather, there was a very large attendance at all the services. It is estimated that several thousand people attended the combined services.

The choir of the Naperville Evangelical church and the choir of St. John's furnished the musical part of the program.

At noon a bountiful spread was served in the spacious church parlors by the Ladies Aid to fully 600 persons. In the evening another large throng was fed.

Many people from Chicago, Joliet, Matteson, Frankfort, Blue Island and other cities and towns attended these services. Rev. K. Freytag presided as organist.

Free will offerings were taken at both meals and at the three services, and \$1,500 were raised.

Had the weather been favorable, the church officials estimate that again as large a crowd would have been present.

Rev. Wm. Kreis and his congregation received many letters and cards conveying messages of felicitation from out-of-town friends. In addition to these messages, there were a number of substantial donations from outsiders.

An illustrated souvenir book, giving a history of the St. John church during the 60 years of its existence, was on sale, as well as picture post cards of the new church. Anyone wishing a copy of the book, or post cards, can yet purchase same by applying to the pastor or any of the church officials.

A social and get-together meeting of the congregation was held at the church parlors Tuesday evening.

## Bernice Hostert of Mokena Injured by Power Wringer

While Mrs. Barney Hostert and her sister, Mrs. Elmer Cooper, were doing the family washing with an electric washer at the Hostert home, Monday morning, Bernice, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hostert, while playing about the washer, picked up a cloth and fed it into the power wringer, and got her left hand caught between the rollers. Her mother threw on the safety clutch and got her hand out, but the pressure of the rollers had jammed the hand at the wrist and mangled it badly. The little victim was hurried to the Silver Cross hospital at Joliet, where X ray pictures were taken of the injured hand. Dr. Grant Houston dressed the injured member.

## Costs \$10,000 to Run the Mokena School One Year

It has cost the tax payers of Mokena \$10,000 to operate the Mokena public school during the past year as shown by the school report. Of this amount \$5,100 was expended for the salaries of the four teachers, the highest salary is \$1800 which is being paid to Prof. Brown the principal and instructor in the high school department.

The School Board spent \$4,900 for school playground equipment, Victrolas and other school equipment and improvements.

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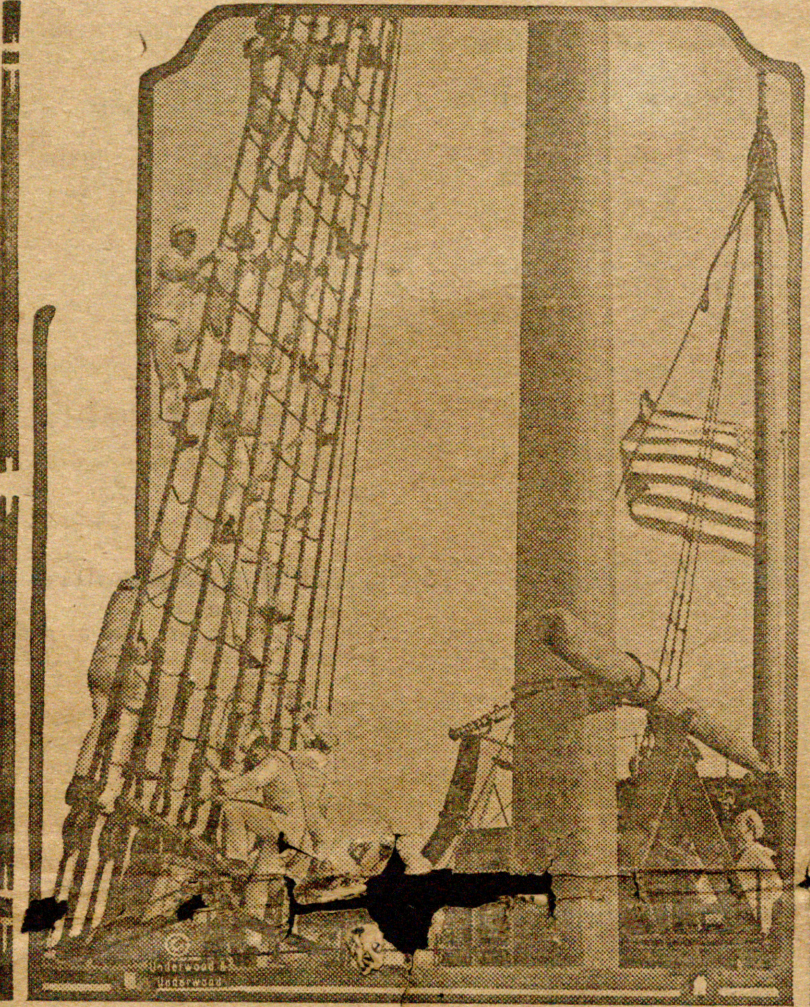


## Internal Rows Disturb the Invisible Empire



There is a three-sided fight going on in the Ku Klux Klan and the founder and "emperor" of the "invisible empire" is contending for retention of control. The imperial palace at Atlanta, here shown, has been in the hands of the sheriff. At the right is the emperor, Col. William J. Simmons, in his regalia.

## Chicago Sea Scouts Getting Busy



"To the boats" is the cry of Chicago Sea Scouts as the navigation season opens on the Great Lakes. There are seven sea scout ships in Chicago, each under the supervision of an ex-navy man, and the boys are receiving instructions in seamanship, life-saving, swimming and the elements of foreign trade.

## Hardings Are Welcomed by Laddie



President and Mrs. Harding, returning to the White House from their southern vacation, England, landing squarely in one of the water jumps, from which his highness rescued his horse from drowning.

## Prince of Wales Takes a Tumble



The prince of Wales, riding Prince Henry's Ocean III in the army point-to-point near Reading, England, landing squarely in one of the water jumps, from which his highness rescued his horse from drowning.

## BOSSSES OUTDOOR SHOWS



Here is Attorney Thomas J. Johnson, the "Judge Landis" of the showmen's legislative committee, who is in Chicago mapping out plans for the outdoor shows summer season. Mr. Johnson insists that carnivals and circuses must be made cleaner and safer to carry on a nation-wide drive to accomplish this.

## ON TRIAL FOR HIS LIFE



Russian soviet authorities announce that they will soon place on trial Tikhon, patriarch of all Russia, and the world fears he will meet the fate of Vicar General Butchkavich, who was convicted of counter-revolutionary activities and executed. Besides being charged with general "opposition to the soviet government," Tikhon is accused of resisting the sequestration of church property.

## ANOTHER CHESS PRODIGY



Although it is stated that he never studied the fundamentals of the game, Aristide Grommer, thirteen years of age, has astounded the chess world by playing 20 simultaneous games with the best players of the Paris Palais Royal club. He lost only one game.

## Important News Events of the World Summarized

## Washington

The population of the United States will be 110,063,502 on July 1, 1923, according to census bureau statisticians at Washington. The country's population is increasing at the rate of 1,415,100 annually.

Acting attorney General Seymour at Washington has been called upon by Secretary Deby for a ruling as to whether Controller J. R. McCarl has authority to overrule cabinet members on expenditure questions.

Secretary Mellon at Washington explained that his recent statement favoring reduction of federal surtaxes was meant to include all surtaxes and not merely those over 25 per cent.

Replying to objections by Canada the State department at Washington has upheld the right of the shipping board to sell its ships with a conditional clause that owners shall not use them as liquor runners.

The farm labor supply of the United States was 12 per cent short of the demand on April 1, says a Washington dispatch.

## Personal

Signora Enrichetta Galli, mother of Mme. Galli-Curci, prima donna, died at her home in Milan at the age of eighty-two, a cable message received by the singer's managers at New York stated.

Laurel Tarkington, seventeen years old, daughter of Booth Tarkington, prominent author, died at the home of the latter at Indianapolis, Ind. Miss Tarkington contracted pneumonia some days ago.

## Domestic

The one hundred and eighth birthday of Thomas Jefferson, third president of the United States and the founder of the Democratic party, was observed Friday, April 13, throughout Alabama, says a Birmingham dispatch.

The Red Star line's latest steamer, the *Bergendam*, has arrived at New York from Antwerp on her first trip as a passenger liner. She has a tonnage of 27,000 and is the largest vessel that has ever negotiated the River Scheldt to Antwerp.

The Union Pacific railroad will spend \$40,000,000 in improvements this year, according to an announcement made at Omaha by Judge Robert S. Lovett of New York, chairman of the board of the system.

Three persons were killed and twenty-three hurt when violent thunderstorms, accompanied by torrential rains, swept across northern Alabama, says a Birmingham dispatch.

Senator McMurray, Republican, of the Hyde Park district in Chicago, introduced a "blue law" bill at Springfield, Ill., prohibiting any form of dance, exhibition, show, contest, performance or sport on Sunday.

Maj. Gen. Henry T. Allen, former commander of the American army of occupation in Germany, held his last "review" at Washington. He concluded 45 years of active service at the age of sixty-four.

A mysterious rum schooner was found off New York with all hands gone, sails set, and evidences of a terrific battle.

Bootleggers were accused by Prohibition Commissioner Haynes at Washington of stealing his automobile. It bore an Ohio license, which he said made it easily distinguishable to his rum-running enemies.

While at his dinner table at Kalamazoo, Mich., the Rev. Father Charles Dillon, assistant rector of St. Augustine's Roman Catholic church, shot and killed the Rev. Father Henry O'Neill, rector of the church.

The Severson bill, increasing the size of the board of regents of the University of Wisconsin so as to give Farmer-Labor representation, was engrossed by the senate at Madison, 17 to 4.

A Santa Fe freight train was held up by a band of armed men two miles north of Morton, Ill., and alcohol and whisky valued at \$25,000 to \$30,000 hauled away in automobile trucks.

A plea of guilty to embezzlement of more than \$977,000 of the funds of the Springfield (O.) National bank was entered in the federal court at Cincinnati by A. H. Penfield, former cashier of the bank.

Refusal of Mrs. Carol Butts, twenty-three, a pretty blonde, to promise to marry him, led Chris Ziegler, thirty-eight, president of a motor sales company at Jackson, Mich., to murder Mrs. Butts and kill himself.

Florence Emma Owen, three-year-old daughter of Edward Owen, was scalded to death at her home at Evansville, Ind., when she fell into a tub of boiling water.

Five Japanese children and a teacher were burned to death in a fire which destroyed a three-story boarding school for Japanese children at Sacramento, Cal. Nine pupils are reported missing.

Gen. George W. Goethals, New York fuel administration, has asked the Federal Coal commission at Washington to recommend that congress empower the President to appoint a fuel dictator in emergencies.

Mathilde McCormick, daughter of Harold F. and Edith Rockefeller McCormick of Chicago, was married to Max Oser at the Lewisham registry office at London.

"Broadway's 'white lights' may remain, but the hilarious light of liquid joy must go," Prohibition Commissioner Canfield said, and asserted, "We will make New York dry or bust, and we won't bust."

Asserting he wished to put John Virgin, seventy-three years old, paralytic, "out of his misery," George Virgin, aged forty-three, the former's son, confessed at Evansville, Ind., to the slaying of his father.

The State Supreme court at Springfield upheld the Illinois \$55,000,000 soldiers' bonus law. Of the seven justices, only five voted on the opinion. Justices Dunn and Cartwright refrained, having had sons in the war.

Fred Starek, acting managing director of the War Finance corporation, made the flight from Columbus, N. M., to El Paso, Tex., 78 miles, in 20 minutes, averaging nearly four miles a minute.

## Foreign

A squadron of American destroyers has arrived at Yokohama. A week's visit is planned by the commander of the squadron.

Senator Tryger, leader of the senate conservatives at Stockholm, has been given the duty of choosing a cabinet to succeed the Socialist ministry of Hjalmar Branting, who resigned.

A workers' demonstration at Veshnevdinsky passed a resolution to be forwarded to the central executive committee at Moscow, demanding death sentence for Patriarch Tikhon of the Greek Catholic church.

Two Berlin airmen, who were killed when an airplane in which they were inspecting the new Tempelhof airport landing place for commercial planes crashed.

Marshal Foch has arrived in Cracow, accompanied by certain French generals, according to a dispatch to the Berlin *Achtuhr Abendblatt* from Gielwitz.

Appointment of a committee to ascertain the precise basis for commercial treaties between Spain and the American republics was decided on by the Spanish Overseas congress meeting at Madrid.

Premier John Oliver of Saskatchewan, in an address at Saskatoon, Lawrence deep-waterways project. He voiced strong opposition to the St. urged more railroad traffic.

"I found no starvation in any of the districts I visited," says Maj. Philip Mathews, who has returned to Moscow after a three weeks' tour of the Bashkir territory for the American Relief administration.

Estimates totaling £46,500,000 are contained in the first Free State budget, which President Cosgrave introduced in the Dail Eireann at Dublin. More than half of the expenditures are for the army and to compensate for damages caused in the civil war.

Construction of a tunnel under the Scheldt river at Antwerp is understood to be the plan of an American banking syndicate, which is said to have raised \$100,000,000 for the project.

According to reports from the island of Rhodes, Turkish irregulars raided the small island of Casteliorze, off the coast of Asia Minor, and assassinated the Italian garrison and a number of Greeks.

Ten members of the American delegation to the congress of the International Chamber of Commerce recently held in Rome have arrived in Berlin to obtain information on Germany's economic position.

A London dispatch says laborers on King George's estate have refused pleas of union officials that they join in the strike of Norfolk farm laborers.

Lady Astor won a victory over the "vets" in the house of commons at London, when an amendment to her "dry" bill, which she opposed, was defeated.

German money printing presses at Berlin have broken their own records by printing 100,000,000,000 paper marks daily, or 3,000,000,000,000 for the month.

Parliament at Helsingfors passed a bill for funding Finland's debt to the United States.

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# The Custard Cup

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## LETTIE

**SYNOPSIS.**—Living in a barn, converted into a dwelling, Mrs. Penfield is manager of an apartment building known as "The Custard Cup," originally "Cluster Court." Her income is derived from laundry work, her chief patron being a Mrs. Horatio Westmore, whom she has never seen. Living with her are "Crink" and "Thad," homeless small boys whom she has adopted. They call her "Penzie." Thad tells Penzie a strange man was inquiring for her under her maiden name.

## CHAPTER II.—Continued.

Above these rooms was a loft, once used for hay but now entirely cut off from the ground floor. It could, however, be approached by a ladder on the outside—and was so approached by Crink during winter rains, when it was the last resort for drying clothes.

It was September. The California summer was in its glory; the days were warm and bright, not yet edged with the crispness of fall. Crink being in school, Mrs. Penfield was managing alone.

She had taken up her basket of clothes and started for the yard, when the bell rang. This was strictly in accordance with the usual routine, because Mrs. Penfield rarely finished anything without interruption. She put down her basket and went to the door.

"Good morning, Mrs. Bosley. Come right in."

A young woman stood outside. She was carefully groomed, smartly dressed, striking in appearance without being exactly pretty. She and her husband lived in The Custard Cup, but no one could understand why. They were apparently free of the community were not.

"I can't stop, Mrs. Penfield. I'm going downtown, and I wondered if you'd let me leave this package with you. It's got a few trinkets in it, and I'd feel safer."

Mrs. Penfield hesitated. "I haven't got any safe place," she said slowly, "and I'm in and out—"

Gussie Bosley broke in eagerly. "You needn't feel any care about it. Nobody'd take it, but I've got a feeling—I'd rather leave it here. I put a newspaper round it, so 'twouldn't look of any value whatever." She passed over a small package.

Mrs. Penfield took it with some reluctance and carried it into her bedroom. She was accustomed to all sorts of strange requests, but it was the first time she had been asked to guard valuables.

"I expect she thinks nobody'd look here," Mrs. Penfield reflected; and with that she dismissed the matter altogether and went on out to the yard with her basket. As she wiped the lines, she sang under her breath in sheer blitheness of spirit. This was the happiest part of her work; this she loved the air, the sunshine.

"Mornin'," called a rasping voice. "Why, Mr. Wopple, good morning!" she returned briskly. "Ain't it a grand day?"

"Well, pretty fair," conceded Mr. Wopple grudgingly. He never so far encouraged anything, even the weather, as to give it unqualified approval.

Mr. Wopple was a night watchman in some vague building near the water front; and no one in The Custard Cup questioned his being eminently adapted to exactly that work. Watchfulness was the keynote of his personality; he sacrificed many hours of possible daytime sleep by bringing his professional activities into the home field.

"Yes, it's a grand day," repeated Mrs. Penfield, quite as if she had received more encouragement. "How are you feeling, Mr. Wopple?"

"Jest middlin'," he replied, in a drawl. "His small, beady eyes were flamed for a moment, out of deference to this sentiment. He gazed at Mrs. Penfield with a new shrewdness which she would have sensed at once if she had been less occupied."

"I see Thad's got a new rig," continued Mr. Wopple, in the manner of one who delivers a preamble.

"Yes, bless the baby!" laughed Mrs. Penfield. "I finished that up last night. I'm sorry it's pink, 'cause it don't go with his hair the best ever, but that nice gingham couldn't do to waste."

"I expect Thad's lucky to get as much as that," Mr. Wopple now began on the main argument.

"Sure. He was a little disappointed 'bout the color, 'cause he ain't struck with pink, but that's good for him."

I figger a child ought to be disappointed at least once a week, in order to get used to life." She discarded a broken clothespin and reached into her pocket for another.

"I guess likely you aimed to have folks think he was your own kid," insinuated Mr. Wopple, testing the strength of his old pruning-shears.

"Land, no. I never claimed he was. He's mine 'cause I adopted him and love him, and 'cause he loves me. That's all there is to it."

Mr. Wopple thought otherwise. "It's easy said, Mrs. Penfield, but I'll bet there's a lot more to it. Where'd you get Thad, Mrs. Penfield?"

With a quick movement she lifted the sheet and pinned it into place. "The records are for Thad when he grows up."

"You got some records, then?"

"Mebbe," she returned, on guard. "I don't see what difference it makes."

"Well, I should say it made a lot. 'Course you'd want to know what kind o' folks he had. Might be things that'd crop out. You'd be the one to be disappointed if he was to turn out a robber or murderer or some'n."

Mrs. Penfield shook out a white skirt and smiled. "All you got to do, Mr. Wopple, is to look at Thad once and you won't talk that way. He's as sweet a baby as ever was, and there ain't nothing in his face that ain't good and dear. If he ever turns out bad, it won't be his fault; it'll be 'cause I failed him."

"Shaw! More like it'd be some'n in his birth."

Mrs. Penfield jammed down a clothespin with a violence that snapped it in two, but her voice was still pleasant. "Thad's got past his birth by 'most four years, and he



Her Dark Eyes Blazed.

won't never get mixed up with it again. He didn't inherit nothing that I'm afraid of, and one of the main reasons I'm living is to see that he develops just the way he's started. It's a good way; I like it; and if the Lord spares me, he'll be ready to meet the world face to face when he's grown up."

Her neighbor's thin lips twisted. "All is," he said slowly, digging his broken shears into a post. "I thought mebbe you'd like to know there's talk started. You see, Ben Simmons come in t'other day and he saw Thad. He said he couldn't get over it—Thad looks so much like a kid he knew about, a year ago. Perfect image, Ben says."

Mrs. Penfield made no reply. A flush rose in her cheeks, but she placed her pins carefully in the last garment.

"Well, Ben says this kid didn't have no family he could be proud of. Seems his mother run off somewhere and died of it, and his father was 'rested for some'n and—"

Mr. Wopple was gazing at the post, and therefore did not see Mrs. Penfield's reception of his speech.

"Stop!" she cried.

He looked up in injured bewilderment. Mrs. Penfield was standing in front of him. The color was high in her cheeks; her dark eyes blazed dangerously.

"You stop!" she repeated in a low voice. "You look so small to me that I can't scarcely see you 't all. But if you're still there, you'd better lay hold of one thing; you let Thad alone. Ain't nobody's business where he came from, nor who his folks were. And if you can't find nothing better

to do than to tear little children to pieces, you'd better sleep twenty-four hours a day steady."

Mr. Wopple dropped his shears and assumed a reproachful attitude. "I jest thought you'd want to know what's bein' said—"

"Well, I don't," she interrupted. "And if you've got a grain of sense, you'll put your mind on other things. Ev'body lives in his own generation; he ain't just reflectin' what's been lived before him. I know where Thad came from, and it's all right. Do you think you can remember that, Mr. Wopple?"

Mr. Wopple, with some hesitation, admitted that perhaps he could, Mrs. Penfield having hitherto been a satisfactory neighbor; and she acknowledged his courtesy by a smile, half conciliatory, half abstracted. But when she had taken up the empty clothes basket and gone back into the house, she sat for several minutes looking into space, her busy hands idle, a mist of compassion in her dark eyes. Once her lips moved. "Why, why can't I wipe out the handicaps entirely?" she breathed. "Don't seem right for any child—"

She was still sitting there when Thad came in. Mrs. Penfield gathered the boy into her arms and kissed him. "Penzie," he gasped, "squeeze me softer, please. I 'most can't breathe. What you do to do so hard for?"

She laughed. "Bless your baby heart! I expect I was keeping ev'rything away."

"Why, Penzie, ain't anything here—just you and me."

"Sure enough," she said, more lightly. "And we mustn't sit here, doing nothing. I've got to get to work, and you trot along and play."

A few minutes later he came running to her in great glee.

"See, Penzie, I found some'n." He held up a small package. It was flat, oblong, tied with cord.

"Where did you get that, Thad?"

"In your room—all done up in paper."

"You shouldn't have touched it—"

She took the package, to carry it back to her room; then paused in astonishment. The cords were fastened with wax; the seals had not been broken. She turned it over. It was soft to the touch. On one side was simply the name "Bosley."

"That's never the family jewels," she thought, as she went into the bedroom. "Next time I'll let her keep it to home. I'll bet it ain't nothing I want in this house."

## CHAPTER III

### The Invasion of Lettie.

Having delivered the final order of groceries for the day, Crink Penfield varied monotony by taking a new route home, and was rewarded by a sight that made him stop suddenly and catch his breath with joy. In a large lot, where he distinctly remembered a tenement house, there was only an enormous heap of debris.

"Cracky!" murmured Crink. "Wa'n't that a grand fire? Here's where I get busy."

He hid his basket behind a mass of shattered masonry and plunged into exploration of the highest mound of ashes. Crink lived the life of salvage. A bit of human wreckage himself, he had an unflinching attraction for all the material wreckage that came within range. Young as he was, the boy was an expert with a bent piece of iron, flicking scrap heaps for those fragments which have been thrown out, not because their usefulness is exhausted but because their owners have been lacking in ingenuity. Even as Mrs. Penfield had rescued him, so had he in turn rescued countless bits of wood and cloth, iron and tin, and pulled them back into the field of service.

Squirming to the top of the mass, Crink discovered an incredible piece of luck, the wheel of a dismembered sewing machine. He grabbed it, but at the same moment another hand also grabbed—a small, thin hand. A pair of bright black eyes confronted Crink, the eyes of a girl about his own age who had been conducting a series of investigations of her own from the rear of the lot.

"Hey, leggo there," cried Crink. "Leggo yourself," retorted the girl. "Shan't. I got here first."

"You didn't neither. If you had, you'd ha' taken it, wouldn't you?"

For a moment the boy was staggered. He had been prepared for action, but not for reasoning, and the latter had driven him into a corner where speech would merely weaken his cause.

By a quick movement Crink lifted the wheel, but the girl's counter-pull flopped it back again with a smart whack that sent a cloud of ashes into the air. The contestants gulped, coughed, ignominiously sneezed, glared at each other with reddened eyes but with no diminution of will.

"Now look here," began Crink, in a voice intended to be terrible, "you ain't gaining nothing. This here wheel's mine."

"Prove it, why don't you? Rummy-dummy!"

"Gosh!" he writhed. "Quit calling names, you little fighting devil."

"Now you got my number," she returned. "Just you make me one bit madder, and I'll show you."

"How'll you show me?"

"I'll punch you into purgatory. So!"

"Huh! You couldn't."

"Could, too."

"Couldn't, neither."

"Would you like to stay and live with us, Lettie?"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

# Sunday School Lesson

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## LESSON FOR APRIL 22

### MOSES, LIBERATOR AND LAW-GIVER

**LESSON TEXT.**—Exodus 14:10, 13-22. **GOLDEN TEXT.**—Fear ye not. Stand still and see the salvation of the Lord.—Exodus 14:13.

**REFERENCE MATERIAL.**—Deuteronomy 3:23-28; Psalm 115:23-24; Matthew 17:3; Acts 7:35-44; Hebrews 11:23-29.

**PRIMARY TOPIC.**—Moses the Boy Whom God Saved.

**JUNIOR TOPIC.**—Moses Leads Israel Through the Red Sea.

**INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC.**—Moses the Great Leader.

**YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC.**—The Character of Moses.

**I. The Birth, Preservation and Education of Moses.** (Exodus 2:1-8).

1. His Birth (vv. 1-2). His parents were of the tribe of Levi.

2. His Preservation (vv. 3-8). The faith of his parents caused them to ignore the command of the king and they hid him for three months (Hebrews 11:23). His mother discerned in him a proper child, or a child fair to God (Acts 7:20), and believed him to be the deliverer of his people. Perhaps led by the story of Noah's ark, she made him an ark of bulrushes and placed Moses in it and left it at the place where Pharaoh's daughter would be attracted when she came down to bathe. Miriam, his sister, was placed where she could watch the affair, and at the opportune moment she came with a suggestion of a nurse for the baby, securing her consent, Miriam brought the child's mother.

3. His Education (vv. 9-10). He was educated first at his mother's knee, the place where his character was formed. He was also educated at the Egyptian court, where he became acquainted with the wisdom of Egypt (Acts 7:22).

**II. The Call of Moses** (Exodus 3).

1. The Lord Speaks From the Bush (vv. 1-6). In the desert the Lord appeared in the vision of the burning bush. When Moses stepped aside to behold this strange thing God taught him the lesson of proper approach unto himself.

2. The Lord Commissions Moses (vv. 7-10). God assured him of his active interest in his people, having seen their affliction, heard their cry, and known their sorrows, and that he had come down to deliver them from the hand of the Egyptian through Moses as His agent.

**III. Moses' Contest With Pharaoh** (Exodus 5-12). The ten plagues reveal the contest carried on between Moses and Pharaoh before the people were set free. The tenth stroke from the strong hand of the Almighty made Pharaoh willing to let Israel go.

**IV. Israel Crossing the Red Sea** (Exodus 14:10, 13-22).

1. Israel's Straitened Circumstances (v. 10). At the Lord's direction they changed from their first course and were apparently in great difficulty. The Red sea was before them; the mountains on either side. Pharaoh with his chariots of war was closing in upon them. In their distress they cried to the Lord.

2. Israel's Miraculous Escape (vv. 13-22). (1) Moses' words to the people (vv. 13-14). (a) "Fear not." Since God was leading them by day and by night with the pillar of cloud and fire they had no need of fear, even if they were in straitened circumstances. (b) "Stand still." Standing still in such a trial is faith taking hold of God's promise. (c) "See the salvation of the Lord." "The Lord shall fight for you." (2) God's words to Moses (vv. 15-18). (a) "Go forward." No use to pray longer when God says "Move forward." (b) "Lift up thy rod." This served as something tangible upon which their faith could rest. They were to go through the sea on dry ground. But the symbol of God's presence now passed to the rear to hold the enemy at bay. (3) The divided sea (vv. 21-22). As they went forward the very thing which they feared became a wall of protection on either side.

3. Overthrow of the Egyptians (vv. 22-27). Having seen the Israelites go across dry shod the Egyptians immediately pursued them, insanely thinking that they could follow in the wake of God's children. That which was a protection to God's children became an instrument of destruction to the Egyptians.

4. Israel's Song of Triumph (15:1-21). They attributed their deliverance and the overwhelming defeat of their enemies to God. They could well sing their song of triumph, for they were on the other shore.

**V. The Law Given** (Exodus 20:1-17). God gave through Moses to the world a complete code of laws setting forth duties to God and man.

**Production of Excellence.** Nothing is such an obstacle to the production of excellence as the power of producing what is good with ease and rapidly.—Alkin.

**Truth.** If any one will tell me how truth may be spoken without offending some I will spare no labor to learn the art of it.—Bp. Horne.

**More Painful.** Mortifications are often more painful than real calamities.—Goldsmith.

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## TINLEY PARK

The Tinley Park R. N. A. are showing a real energetic spirit in getting new members. On Wednesday night, four new members were initiated into the lodge. The initiation exercises were held at the Woodmen hall in the Andres building. Those initiated are:

Mrs. Anna Hopman, Mrs. Francis Roden, Mrs. Rudolph Freberg and Miss Parenti.

Following the ceremony, a banquet was held, and all had a real jolly time.

Tinley Park is going to have a fire alarm that will be loud enough to almost raise the dead. The local Volunteer Fire Department is about to purchase a new siren whistle, which was installed at the Funk store, Monday, for trial demonstrations. After the siren has been thoroughly tried out, and is found to meet the requirements, the fire department will purchase and install it.

A quiet wedding took place, Sunday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Wm. Knieriem, when her daughter, Miss Edna, was united in marriage with Walter Rauch, Rev. Wm. Greve of the Bachelor Grove Lutheran church officiating. Miss Ida Rauch, sister of the groom, and Wm. Knieriem, brother of the bride, were the attendants.

George Lorenz is going to give a dance at Saenger hall every Saturday night from now on. Sweet's orchestra has been engaged to play for all of these dances.

Harry Bettenhausen, who recently opened an auto accessories shop in the Foster building, is doing a good business.

A special session of the congregation of the Zion Lutheran church will be held this coming Sunday afternoon at the church.

On Sunday the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Selby Hirsch was baptized by Rev. A. Buddenhagen. The name given was Fay Harriett.

Quite a number of Tinley Park people attended the dedication of the new St. John Evangelical church at Mokena, Sunday.

Elmer Keuch has taken up his new job as a motorcycle cop. He has been assigned to duty on Lansing road.

On Monday, members of the Thompson-Powers Construction company of Joliet arrived in town to start work on the concrete road thru Tinley Park, which had been abandoned last fall when first set in.

The business people and residents of Tinley Park will raise a sigh of relief when the wretched mud hole called a "street" will at last be concreted. If this street had not been torn up, it would not have been so bad, but as it was, it caused many people to drive to Blue Island and other towns to do their trading, thus meaning a loss of hundreds of dollars to Tinley Park business men.

## Mr. Business Man

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## PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at Public Auction, on the J. C. Kuch place, 3 1/2 miles northwest of Tinley Park, 3 1/2 miles south-east of Orland, on

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THURSDAY, MAY 3, 1923, at the Frankfort State Bank, Frankfort, Ill.

The proposed improvement includes the construction of approximately 6654 feet of macadam paving, with cuts and fills, shoulders and ditches.

More detailed information may be had by an examination of the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Supt. of Highways, Joliet, Ill.

Bidders will be asked to submit a multiple proposal for furnishing all labor, tools and machinery. Stone to be furnished by the Comm. of Highways as needed. Average haul from Mokena, 2 1/2 miles.

Culverts to be furnished and installed by the Commissioner.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids or any part thereof.

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## Also Eligible

Any group, club or society devoted to charity work—enter your favorite organization in this contest at once by turning over its name to contest manager, fourth floor. Votes will be counted each morning at 9 A. M., at which time officials of the organizations in this contest are invited to be present.

## Rules of Contest

With each purchase in the Boston Store during the three weeks of this Anniversary Sale you will get a vote coupon entitling to vote for any accredited club or institution devoted to charity in proportion to the amount of your purchase—1 vote with a 10c purchase—10 votes with a dollar purchase—100 votes with a \$10 purchase, etc. At 9:30 p. m., May 5, when the contest closes the money will be distributed as follows:

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## FRANKFORT

Funeral services for Mrs. John Lapien, Sr., who died Monday morning at 5 o'clock, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Weitendorf, were held Wednesday at 12:30 o'clock from the home to St. Peter's Evangelical church, with burial in Pleasant Hill cemetery. Mrs. Lapien, who before her marriage was Mary Ebert, was born in Germany, September 4, 1848, and came to America in 1868. She was married to John Lapien in 1871. She is survived by her daughter, one son, John Lapien, Jr., and three grandchildren, all of Frankfort.

Herman Scheer has gone to Milwaukee, Wis., to visit Mrs. Scheer, who, on account of ill health, has spent the winter months with her sister, Miss Flora Maute, of that city.

The members of the Pinochle club of Frankfort were guests of Mrs. George Uthamark, in Matteson, Thursday evening. Pinochle was played at four tables, and prizes were awarded to Miss La-Hue and Glenn Folkers.

Miss Christie Fink and Mrs. Laura Headberg were week-end guests of Mrs. Herman Scheer in Englewood.

Mrs. Viola Sears and daughter, of Marley, spent last week with Mrs. Sears' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holstein.

Mrs. William Lankenau is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dralle, in Green Garden.

The school election will be held Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the school house.

A new set of pictures will be shown at the M. E. church Sunday evening. The motion pictures shown last Sunday were on agriculture, and next week pictures of birds will be given.

The Home Improvement club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Balchowsky.

The Frankfort school children gave a program in the hall Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Holdengraber of Detroit, formerly Miss Miriam Balchowsky, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Balchowsky. A group of friends gave a surprise party for Mrs. Holdengraber, Monday evening.

## ORLAND

Mrs. Christina Felden, wife of Peter Felden, passed away Wednesday afternoon at 2 p. m. She was born February 16th, 1848, in Germany, and attained the age of 73 years. Mrs. Felden had been ill with dropsy for a great many years, but since January she had been confined to her bed, and only the careful attention that Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. Ebling and Mrs. Enders gave her prolonged her life. Her husband and son preceded her in death some years ago. Services were held at 1:30 Friday afternoon at the Christ Lutheran church, Rev. Walter Greve officiating. Burial was in the Lutheran cemetery, near Sipple's.

The Bunco party given by the new Catholic church, Wednesday evening, in the Woodman hall, was well attended, there being about one hundred present. Sixteen tables played twenty games. Those winning the prizes were: Gents' first, Cyril Anderson; second, Louis Nicolai, Jr.; booby, Mr. Peter Hostert. Ladies' first, Mrs. Fred Uthe; second, Mrs. John Brenner; booby, Miss Beaver.

After the games were played, a fine lunch of sandwiches, cake, pickles and coffee was served. Mr. Peter Wagner acted as auctioneer. Mr. Martin Smith bought the box of noodles, donated by friends of Chicago; Miss Elizabeth Smith, the silver basket, and James McNally, box of candy. A good time was reported by all.

Saturday evening sixty friends gathered at the R. M. Cooper home to help surprise Mr. Cooper in honor of his birthday. Bunco was the pastime of the evening. Those who scored high were: Mr. Raymond Heald and Mr. Ira Hughes; booby, Mr. Harvey Cooper. Ladies—Mrs. Raymond Heald and Mrs. Fred Uthe; booby, Miss Hazel Rust. A luncheon of cake, ice cream, candy and bananas was served by Mrs. Cooper. A good time was reported by all, as the guests did not depart until the wee hours of the morning.

The Orland Park school election, held Saturday evening, from 8 to 9 p. m., was well attended, in spite of the stormy weather, there being fifty-nine votes cast. Mrs. Ella Loeb received fifty-three, and Mr. John Creer six. In favor of Mrs. Loeb for the term of two years.

**Stampeding Sentiment.**  
"Why did you discontinue vaudeville as a feature of your campaign?" "It was too popular," answered Senator Sorghum. "Some of the audiences said the monologist made a better speech than I did and ought to be put on the ticket."—Washington Star.

**Work and Play.**  
It is a mistake to suppose that play is the reward of work; it is merely its preliminary, and the country that cannot get its games going will not get much else going, either.—James Stephens.

**Has Big Butter Industry.**  
The city of Cork, Ireland, is one of the greatest butter centers in the world. It is estimated that one year's export of butter amounts to 750,000 tons.

## MOKENA

Albert C. Hirsch, aged 70 years, former Mokena man, who was born and spent part of his boyhood on the Hirsch farm, north of Mokena, died at his home in Chicago, last Wednesday. Funeral services were held Saturday. The deceased is survived by his widow and one daughter, Mrs. Frank Craney of Chicago.

The Young People of St. John's Evangelical church are going to present an entertainment in the church parlors of the new church on the evening of May 2nd. This will be the first social affair in the new church.

The program will consist of a comedy drama entitled "Just Plain Folks," and a Negro comedy, "Cash Money," besides musical numbers and songs by a ladies' quartette.

Henry Miller, Mokena meat dealer, who has been in the hospital at Joliet for several weeks, was brought home Friday. He is somewhat improved.

Mrs. Wm. Semmler, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is improving nicely. Miss Baber of Wilmington is nursing her.

Richard Hensel, who has leased the Sutter building, expects to open a drug store and ice cream parlor soon.

Krapp Bros., of the Mokena Hardware Co., have received 15 tons of barb and woven wire, which they have distributed among the farmers of this section.

**Airy About It.**  
"I am quite taken up with this thing," said the man who was enjoying his first ride in an airplane.

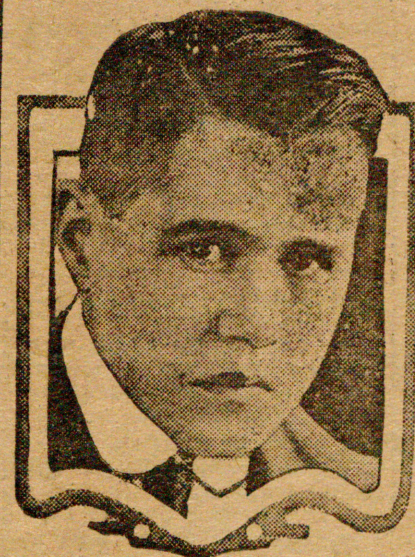
**Bleeding From the Nose.**  
Cold applications to the nose and the upper lip and to the back of the neck are helpful at times. Salt water or vinegar snuffed up the nose will stop it. A wad of paper under the upper lip does good.

**FOR SALE—2 tons of timothy hay.**  
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**FOR SALE—A Registered Holstein Cow, just fresh.**  
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One of the youngest of American writers to achieve instantaneous success. His first novel, "The Voice of the Pack," was published in 1920, and was one of the most noteworthy books of that year.

Then success came to him from a different kind of literary effort, for he won the O. Henry prize for the best American short story of 1921. The award is an annual offering made by the Society of Arts and Sciences of New York as a memorial to O. Henry. In addition to the recognition it carried a cash bonus of \$500, which was ample for Mr. Marshall to journey from his home in Medford, Oregon, to receive the distinction and be guest of honor at the dinner which accompanied it.

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**Awful.**  
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by Edison Marshall

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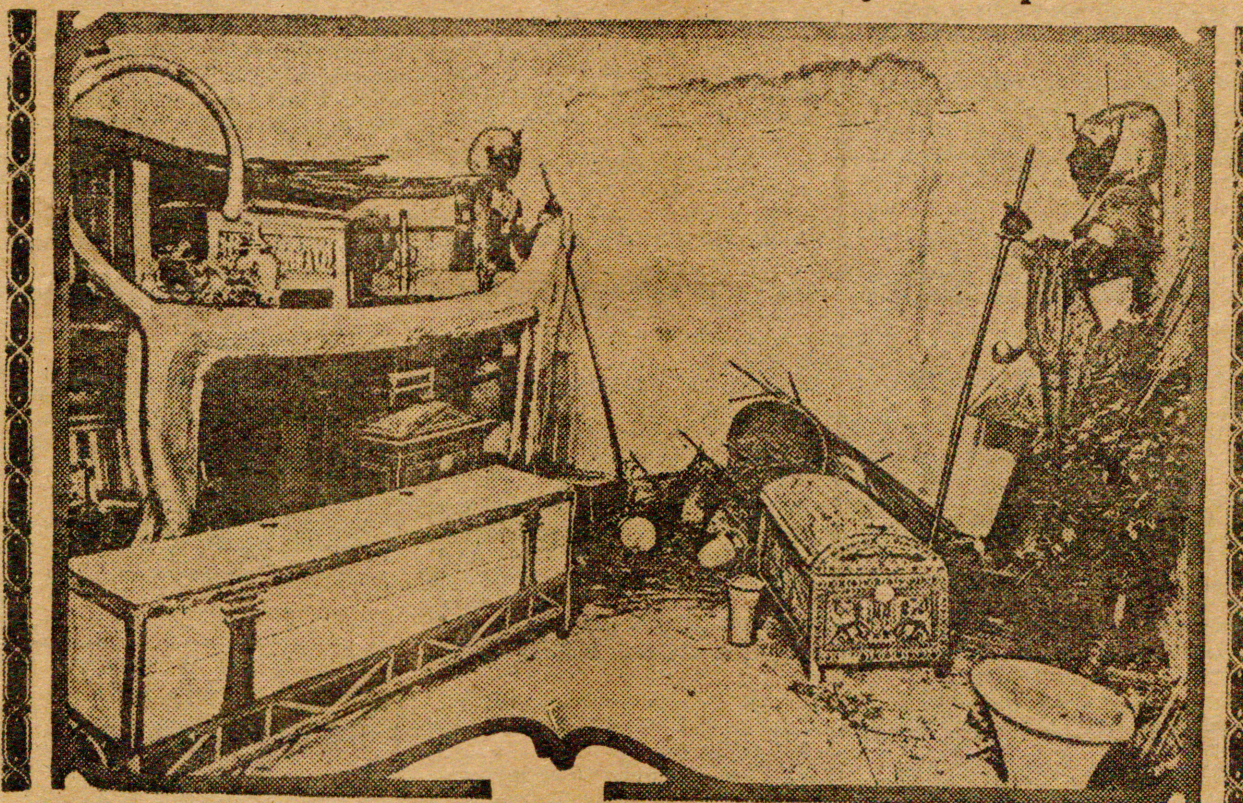
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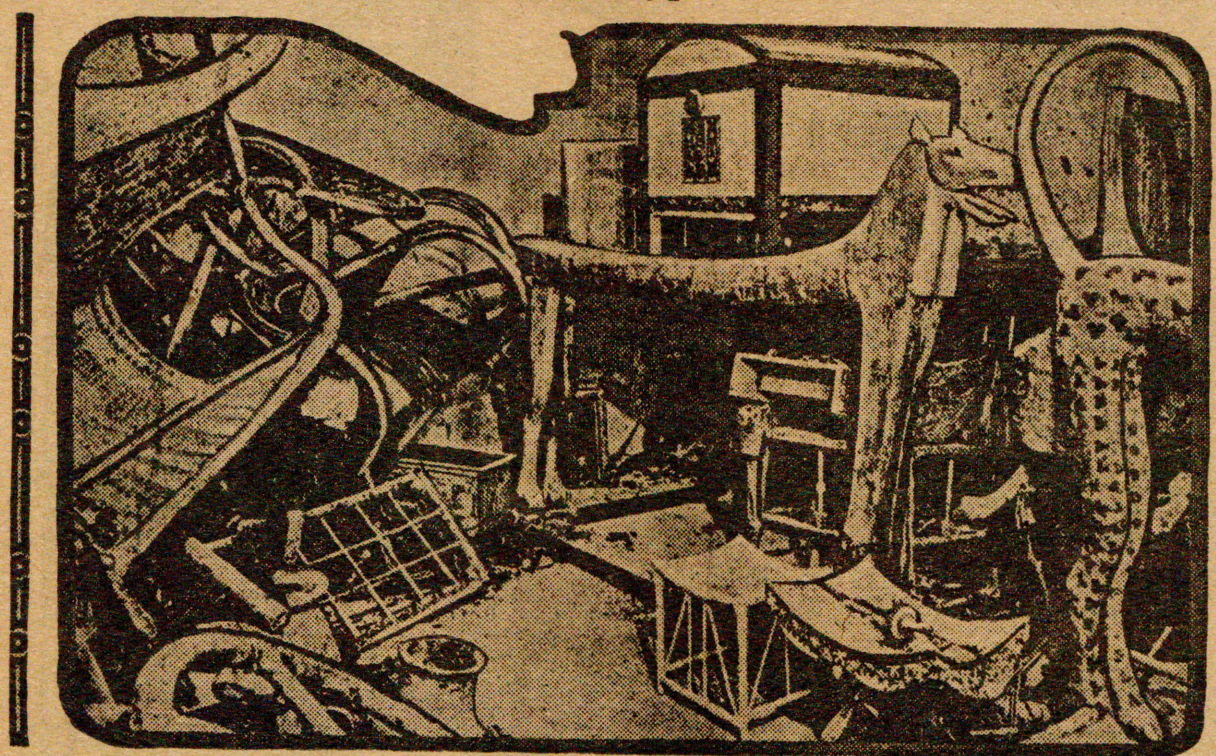
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## Statues of King Guarding Doorway of Sepulcher



For more than three thousand years the wooden statues of King Tut-Ankh-Amen, seen in this photograph, stood undisturbed at the sealed doorway of his sepulcher in his tomb at Luxor, Egypt. In this antechamber are to be seen also the funeral flowers, a painted chest containing the royal robes and jewels, a long box containing the king's underwear and weapons, a ceremonial couch and many other objects.

## King Tut-Ankh-Amen's Typhon Couch of Solid Gilt



This view of the antechamber of the tomb of King Tut-Ankh-Amen at Luxor, Egypt, shows the royal ceremonial couch of solid gilt supported by animals of the Typhonic type. Upon it is a large white wooden chest, and beneath and in front of it other objects including gold, ivory and wooden chairs.

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## Something to Think About

By F. A. WALKER

### A RAY OF SUNSHINE

IT MATTERS not how lovely we may be, nor how dread life-tides about our little selves may ebb and flow, there is always some one among our friends and acquaintances upon whom we can shed a ray of sunshine.

Some one is living under darker skies than we, longing for encouraging words or cheering smiles; some one is starving for affection which means to him or her a lamp of hope; some one is striving to overcome ruinous habits, too weak to hold his or her frail craft on a safe course.

Each one is living in a state of gloom, from which there seems to be no way of escape.

Each one needs a ray of friendship, the blessed boon which if used aright would make the whole world brighter, knit mankind closer in happiness, soothe aching hearts, dry burning tears and hide from cold stares the beggar's outstretched hand.

There is something in soul-sunshine that penetrates the toughest fibre in human nature.

So send forth this mystic cheer far and wide.

Strew flowers over the rugged path of the poor and the sorrowing, the ill and the wretched, the old and the lonely.

Pour sunshine in their hearts and see it illuminate their countenance, wing their feet and tune their tongues to praiseful songs.

Let it shine on every cross and care. There are hungry hearts everywhere, behind walls of marble and slabs of hovels, praying for appreciation and sympathy.

Find one if we can and blow to

## Mother's Cook Book

The excess of sentiment, which is misleading in philanthropy and economics, grows acutely dangerous when it interferes with legislation or with the ordinary rulings of morality.—Agnes Repplier.

### WHAT TO EAT

IF THE members of your family are fond of ginger this will be a delightful dish to serve as a dainty dessert: Gingered Jelly.

Add one-half teaspoonful of cold water to one-half package of granulated gelatin; after standing ten minutes

ing water. Now add one cupful of orange juice and the juice of two lemons, three-fourths of a cupful of chopped candied ginger. Set in a cool place to harden, stirring gently during the stiffening process to mix the ginger well through the jelly. Serve in stemmed glasses, garnished with a spoonful of whipped cream and thinly sliced ginger.

### Cheese Souffle.

Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter, add three tablespoonfuls of flour, and when well mixed add one-half cupful of scalded milk, one-half teaspoonful of salt, a dash of cayenne, one-half cupful of grated cheese, the yolks of two eggs; cook until thick. Cut and fold in the stiffly beaten whites of the eggs and set in boiling water and bake 15 minutes. Cover the whole time of cooking and serve at once. A souffle like an omelet will not await a tardy guest.

What an English cookbook calls the original English rarebit is simply melted cheese to which salt is added, just as it is taken up for serving. Instead of milk, or even with it, a tablespoonful of catsup may be added, or two tablespoonfuls of chili sauce.

A piquant dish good for an open-air luncheon or in a group where onions are enjoyed, onions are sliced thin and sauted in bacon fat; when tender add the cheese and serve as soon as it is melted.

When a little chicken, ham or other meat is too small in quantity to serve, cheese, white sauce and generous seasoning makes a most tasty dish.

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Nellie Maxwell

## Has Anyone Laughed At You

Because —

By ETHEL R. PEYSER

You Always Want to Go Dutch?

Going Dutch is a good plan, because it allows you to go to many a party and everyone goes away without obligation. Of course treating is a joy, yet for all practical purposes going "Dutch" allows more freedom. "Are you treating or am I?" said a girl, "for if I am I feel as if I can eat all I want and I am awfully hungry." This is one argument for the "Dutch" treat. The other is that—argument time is saved and there is a good fellowship born which is worth pounds of treats. It isn't a saving in money but it is in time.

SO

Your get-away here is: You're a good fellow and you save time in not having to think "whose turn it is to treat." Every one keeps independent.

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## MEN YOU MAY MARRY

By E. R. PEYSER

Has a Man Like This Proposed to You?

Symptoms: Red hair—pink face—stutters. Wears brown clothes. Is generous and very handy with treats and flowers. He seems to have nothing to do but call you on the phone, and it's all you can do to understand his stuttering, happy words. He adores to talk. Sometimes you feel as if you were hung in mid-air. Waiting for him to say, "I love—you, or cats." It's most nerve-racking! He is a great motorist and loves speeding—and does in this line. . . .

### IN FACT

He is a speedy soul, but has grit in the tongue shaft.

Prescription for Bride to Be:

Learn to fill up gaps in speed with good works.

Absorb This:

TRACTION SPEAKS LOUDER THAN WORDS.

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## SCHOOL DAYS



IN THE SPRING A YOUNG MAN'S FANCY

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## Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE

### YOUR FRIENDS

THE man who doesn't make friends isn't worth his salt. Man is a social animal. He needs friends to talk to—and to listen to. They are the solace of his leisure hours. They are his confidants in his time of trouble. Without them he might as well be an outcast on a desert island.

Make all the friends you can. At best you will make but a few, for there will be but few men who will take you at your own value, and have enough interests in common with you to be really your friends.

But never use friendship as a means of advancement. Put business on a business basis.

Be independent of friendship in your work. Advancement obtained through friendship is obtained through favor. And what is obtained through favor is of no value.

Never make the mistake of depending on a friend in a business relationship. Often your friend can and will help you. But that sort of help is not the help you want.

Sooner or later, if you are going to get anywhere, you will discover that you must depend on yourself, and yourself alone.

Your friends can advise you, they can sympathize with you, they can if they are honest point out your mistakes to you—provided you are big enough to let them.

But neither by lending you money—or securing you positions or promotions, can they be of any true value to you.

If they are rich and powerful, they will assist you not because of your deserts, but because of their liking for you.

Through such assistance you will get a false idea of your importance, of your worth in the world.

And when you wake up some morning and see yourself in your true light you are going to be sadly disillusioned. Make friends and keep them. Make them, if you can, among men of different callings, so that you can exchange ideas with them and broaden yourself.

Interest yourself in what they are doing, and interest them in what you are doing. Spend your leisure with them. Enjoy their comradeship. But never depend on them. Friendship was not meant for a ladder by which to climb to higher places in the world. It is too sacred for that.

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Hospitals existed in Ceylon in 437 and 137 B. C., according to Singhalese records.

## EXPERIENCE

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

I WONDER that we worry so And lose our way with wandering When every hill and vale we know— For Time has shown us everything. We know where we may walk, and where

The brambles are, the dangers lie— For Time has set a signpost there, Experience to guide us by.

We know the way, for other men Have walked a thousand times before, The world the same world it was then, The path unchanged forevermore. We know we need but follow on With faithful Conscience for our guide—

We know that we shall find the dawn Who falter not, nor turn aside.

Yet men will venture into sin, Forget the sun, forget the star, Will seek new lands to wander in Where all the hidden dangers are. Experience has marked the trail, And Time has proved the trail is true—

Yet men will fall and fools will fall While stars shine clear from skies of blue.

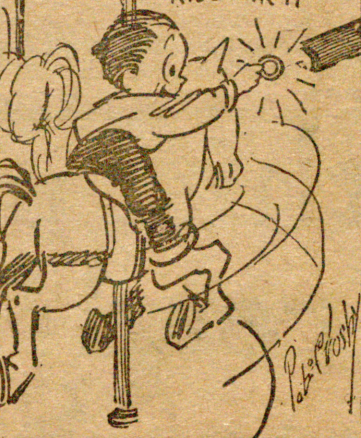
Life is no problem—life is plain: Here is the right, and there the wrong; And here is peace, and there is pain. And there is sorrow, here is song. With Conscience for our guide and friend

Experience our counsel wise, We need not follow to the end An earthly path to find the skies.

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## RECALL

THE TIME YOU HOOKED THE GOLD RING ON THE HERRY GO ROUND— AND GOT AN EXTRA RIDE FOR IT



## GRAIN FUTURES ACT IS UPHELD

Law Placing Exchanges Under Government Control Is Constitutional.

### FIRST ACT WAS HELD INVALID

Attack on Co-operative Association Membership on Boards of Trade Fails Justices Sutherland and McReynolds Dissent.

Washington, April 17.—The Supreme court upheld the constitutionality of the grain futures trading act, Justices Sutherland and McReynolds dissenting.

"It is clear from the citations in the statement of the case," the decision said, "of evidence before committees of investigation as to manipulations of the futures market and their effects, that we would be unwarranted in rejecting the findings of congress as unreasonable, and that in our inquiry as to the validity of the legislation, we must accept as the view that such manipulation does work to the detriment of producers, consumers, shippers and legitimate dealers in interstate commerce in grain and that it is a real abuse.

"But it is contended that it is too remote in its effect on interstate commerce, and that it is not like the direct additions to the cost to the producer of marketing cattle by exorbitant charges and discrimination of commission men and dealers. This is hardly consistent with the affidavits the plaintiffs present from the leading economists, who say that dealing in futures stabilizes cash prices.

"More than this, prices of grain futures are those upon which an owner and intending seller of cash grain is influenced to sell or not to sell as they offer a good opportunity to him to hedge comfortably against future fluctuations.

"Manipulations of grain futures for speculative profits," the court held "though not carried to the extent of a corner or complete monopoly, exert a vicious influence and produce abnormal and disturbing temporary fluctuations of prices that are not responsible to actual supply and demand and discourage not only this justifiable hedging but disturb the normal flow of actual consignments. A future market lends itself to such manipulation much more readily than a cash market."

It was the second time that the court had ruled on the constitutionality of an act regulating trading in grain futures. The previous act, passed after years of agitation by farmers, based federal control on the government's taxing power. The Supreme court ruled that the act was invalid because it constituted an attempt by congress to regulate something over which it lacked jurisdiction.

### RAIL MEN TO ASK PAY RAISE

Brotherhoods of 1,200,000 Membership to Petition the U. S. Labor Board.

Chicago, April 17.—Five of the largest railroad labor brotherhoods outside the roster of the four train-service organizations, with an aggregate membership of close to 1,200,000 workers, are shortly to appear before the United States railroad labor board with petitions for substantial increases in their wage rates.

These are the railway and steamship clerks, freight handlers and express and station employees, the maintenance of way employees and railway shop laborers, the telegraphers, telephoners and agents, railroad signmen and the train dispatchers.

### MORE JOBS IN U. S. INDUSTRIES

Department of Labor Shows March Total to Be 2,135,564—Wages Higher.

Washington, April 17.—The Department of Labor issued a report showing an increase in March over February of 2.1 per cent in the number of employees in manufacturing industries, a 5 per cent increase in total wages paid and an increase of 2.8 per cent in the average weekly wage.

### SAYS GERMANS PLAN NEW WAR

Legion's Americanism Director Says Reservists by Hundreds Are Leaving the United States.

Bloomington, Ill., April 17.—Garland W. Powell, national director of Americanism of the American Legion, in an address here charged that hundreds of German reservists are returning to Germany from the United States in preparation for war against France.

### Seize More Coal Mines.

Duesseldorf, April 17.—Nine additional coal mines in the Ruhr have been seized by the French and the Belgians, making a total of 31 mines and coke plants now in the hands of the forces of occupation.

### Ex-Crown Prince Is Insane.

London, April 17.—Prince Frederick, former crown prince of Germany, is suffering from progressive insanity, according to a Wieringen dispatch, which quotes as authority two noted alienists of Berlin.

## Which Is Larger the Sun or a Cent

The sun is the largest but you can hold the cent so close to your eye that you'll lose sight of the sun. Don't let a cheap price or a big can baking powder make you lose sight of quality.

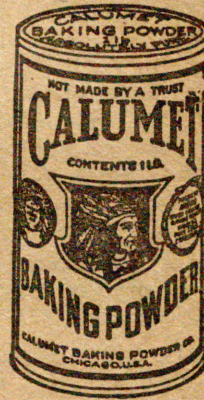
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### Married a Mabel.

A man who is not usually a reader of fiction was found to be absorbed in "If Winter Comes" and to be re-reading it.

When asked the cause of this obsession, he first looked furtively around the room to assure himself nobody was within earshot. Then he said solemnly:

"It interests me because I married a Mabel."

The man who has nothing to live for can afford to loaf.

### Anything to Please.

Misses—Nora, I won't have that husky milkman in my kitchen. Nora—All right, mum; I know a smaller one.—Juggler.

Stop the Pain. The hurt of a burn or a cut stops when Cole's Carbolic is applied. It heals quickly without scars. 30c and 60c by all druggists, or send 30c to The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill.—Advertisement.

### Views of One.

"I don't like these motor horns." "Pedestrians require a warning." "It needn't sound so insulting."

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Cuticura Soothes Itching Scalp.  
On retiring gently rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Make them your everyday toilet preparations and have a clear skin and soft, white hands.—Adven'sement.

Can it Be?  
"Artistic, don't you think?"  
"I suppose so, but it doesn't look Russian!"—Judge.

**CATARRHAL DEAFNESS**  
is often caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing. Unless the inflammation can be reduced, your hearing may be destroyed forever.  
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## Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It

Applicants for Insurance Often Rejected.

Judging from reports from druggists who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is one preparation that has been very successful in overcoming these conditions. The mild and healing influence of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its remarkable record of success.

An examining physician for one of the prominent Life Insurance Companies, in an interview on the subject, made the astonishing statement that one reason why so many applicants for insurance are rejected is because kidney trouble is so common to the American people, and the large majority of those whose applications are declined do not even suspect that they have the disease. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is on sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Advertisement.

The Fat and the Lean.  
Fat Girl—"I have an appetite like a canary." Thin Girl—"Yes, you have! You eat a peck at a time."

All Kinds of Jelly.  
Mother likes orange jelly. Father likes lemon jelly. The children like strawberry or raspberry jelly. They can all be made from the same box of Plymouth Rock Gelatine. One box makes four pints of delicious jelly, any desired flavor.—Advertisement.

Our idea of a game man is one who goes to the dentist before it is absolutely necessary.

## Appeals to Our Hearing

By DR. HENRY OSTROM  
Extension Department, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

TEXT—He that hath ears to hear, let him hear.—Mark 4:9.

The air of our cities is full of sounds, some of melody and some of madness. On all hands the preacher is crying: "Listen, listen." In the rumble and clatter there is disclosed the importance of the words so often uttered by our Lord: "He that hath ears to hear, let him hear." Yet though the clangor or may reveal some truth and the music of the finest instruments may reveal some more, what wealth of truth would remain unexpressed if we heard only these. Far deeper and of more importance than these sounds is the appeal for our hearing made by truth, whether it be lesser truth, greater truth, or exalted truth.

1. There is the appeal to the deaf. "Hearing ears, hear ye not" (Mark 8:18). For what was the ear formed, if not for hearing? But here it is failing to function. The speaker is the Son of God; the result is as if He had not spoken. As well look for a harvest of grain on a frozen lake! Physically, deafness is a great affliction, but indescribably worse is spiritual deafness. To such, as it with the force of thunder may the words be said: "He that hath ears to hear, let him hear."

2. There is the appeal to the heedless hearers: "Take heed that you hear," says Jesus (Mark 4:24). No man can hear everything at once. He must, therefore, hear some things and not hear others. It is his duty to distinguish. You may hear "jazz" until your very soul seems to dance the jig of hysteria. You may hear vulgarity until your very soul seems septic. Or, you may hear truth until your very soul declares: "Forever, O Lord, Thy word is settled in heaven." Our subtle adversary is so given to counterfeiting the good, that we must even distinguish between God's Word and all partial or fractional substitutes for it. As a drop of ink will stain a glass of water, so truth will be blackened by the admixture of falsehood.

3. There is partial hearing. "Jesus spake the word unto them as they were able to hear" (Mark 4:33). Ever must we expect to meet this condition. Ever will there be more than we can hear. But there is the incentive to listen eagerly, to listen alertly for the truth. It is with reference to this that Jesus is speaking his parables. He has attentive listeners. It is the picture of the teacher whose pupils are earnest students. But note the expression, "as they were able to hear." Here you find truth, not running away from the listener, but rather, pleading, appealing, entreating the listener to receive it, and more. Can you hear more? then you shall have it. Who could think of this without longing to be a good hearer? You see, it is a question of being able, and as the athlete increases his ability by his exercises, that he may succeed the better when in the contest, so may our ability to hear be increased as we give attention to the truth.

4. "Hear Him" (Mark 9:7). That voice from the cloud of glory and the Mount of Transfiguration declaring: "This is My beloved Son; hear Him," told in each of the three first Gospels, was more than a passing announcement. In that miniature of the kingdom of God, the announcement was made as if to declare that in the time of His reign, men will recognize the authority which it carries. Men must come to realize that Christ must be heard. If they will not hear Him as Savior, then they must hear Him as Ruler and Judge. But that voice was uttered, too, as an appeal to souls, including yours and mine. Only one could walk among us and claim as very man: "I am the Truth." The appeal then is to hear Him. It means that we turn a deaf ear to the imitations, the shams, the falsehoods, and listen to the truth. "Hear Him," calling: "Come unto Me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." Hear Him saying: "I am the Good Shepherd, the Good Shepherd layeth down His life for the sheep." Hear Him telling His own: "I go to prepare a place for you, and I will come again and receive you unto Myself." Hear Him in his assuring words: "I will not leave you comfortless; I will come to you." "He that hath ears to hear, let him hear." You have heard what He did, you have heard what He said, you have heard what you need; but have you heard Him? Only one voice amid the noises offers peace—"peace through the blood of the Cross."

"Hast thou heard him, seen Him, known Him?"

Is not thine a captured heart? Chief among ten thousand owned him, Joyful, chose the better part?"

Those Who Are Down.

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"The physician smiled wisely, and replied:

"Why, my dear sir, I've had bronchitis myself for more than 15 years," —Baltimore Sun.

Nothing to Speak Of.  
"Howdy, Gap!" saluted an acquaintance from over beyond Presby's Hill, upon meeting Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge in the county seat. "Anything coming off out your way?"

"How're you, 'Lije?' was the reply. "Well, no; there isn't nuth'n in particular happened lately on the Ridge. Of course, there's been some fighting, but no great sight, and a little shooting, such as it was, and some marrying and dying, and such like, and a few runaways, including some feller's wife and an agent for something or nuther, but nuth'n in the way of real news, that I know of."—Kansas City Star.

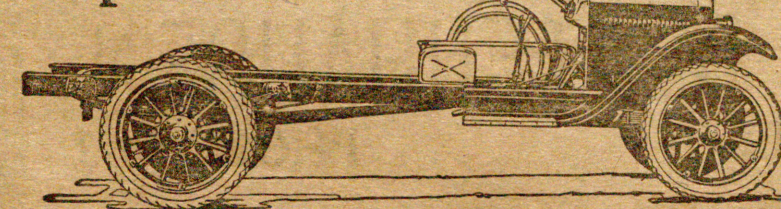
The Real Issue.  
"Doggone it, Brinsley. I don't know what is going to become of the country. Things are going to the dogs."

"Your business slow?"

"No, not that; but last night my partner led the king when I held the ace, and when I came back with the ace to hold lead and kill the suit she trumped my ace, and then got the idea diamonds was trumps when I had made it hearts. I tell yuh, women are getting too darned independent!"

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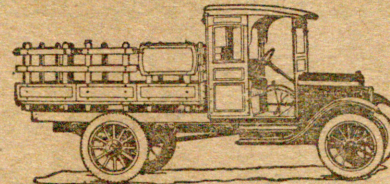
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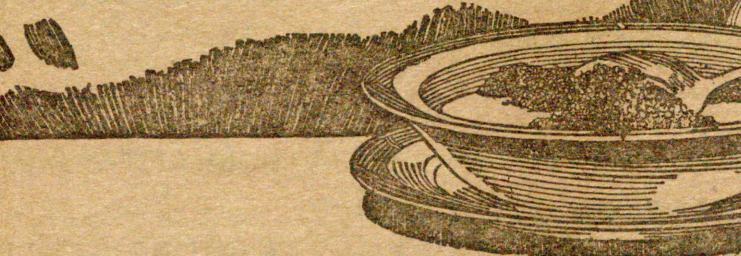
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## Mokena Farmers Oppose Producers Co-operative Bill

(Continued from page 1)

These delegates, representing about ten thousand farmers of the district, assembled for the purpose of considering the terms and provisions embodied in Senate Bill No. 165, known as the Co-operative Marketing Act.

Article "H" of Section 10 of this Act, providing that stock holders may be required to sign Marketing Company contracts and contribute toward the upkeep of co-operative companies organized under terms of Bill 165, was vigorously condemned.

Section 28, the terms of which curb the right of free speech, and provide severe penalties, including the penal sum of \$500.00, and a large fine upon the farmer who may in his own language or manner chance to express his disapproval of the finances, the management or activity of any association organized under the provisions of Senate Bill 165, was denounced in no unmistakable terms by delegates present at the meeting.

Section 29 of the Act, prescribing a liability in civil suit of a penal sum of \$500.00 for each instance where a person, firm or corporation solicits, persuades or even permits a contract signer or member of a company organized under the condition prescribed in this Bill, to violate his agreement with such company, by receiving or accepting such member's produce

In other words, should a member of such a company sell to a passing autoist a quart of milk, a chicken or a dozen eggs, in violation of his co-operative contract, the purchaser may, under conditions prescribed in this section, be compelled to pay a marketing company a penalty of \$500.00 for each such offense, in addition to all costs involved.

Sections 28 and 29 were declared by those present to be worthy of Russia's Lenin or Trotsky, rather than an American Farm Bureau of Illinois.

"Might as well go farther, and fine a farmer \$500.00 for failure to meet his note when due, or for making faces at the landlord on rent day," said a McHenry county delegate.

By unanimous assent, it was voted to use every possible effort to defeat the passage of Senate Bill No. 165.

## CHURCH NOTES

### MOKENA

M. E. CHURCH

A. R. MANGUS, Pastor

### CALENDAR

Sunday, April 22—  
Sunday school, 10:30.  
Epworth League, 6:30. A study of Pentecost and Stewardship.  
Evening service, 7:30. Topic: "Christianity and Life."  
Sunday April 29—Rally Day.  
"The thing that goes the farthest toward making life worth while, that costs the least, and does the most, is just a pleasant smile; it's full of worth and goodness, too, with genial kindness blent, it's worth a million dollars, and it doesn't cost a cent."

### IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Kemnitz, Pastor

Examination of the Confirmants of this year will be held Sunday, April 22, 10:30 a. m. A good opportunity to briefly learn what the Lutheran church stands for.

The following Sunday, April 29, Confirmation exercises will take place. The following are the members of the class: J. Hentsch, Hannah Laufer, Sarah Lauffer and Erna Yunker. Jesus, your Savior, says: "Be faithful unto death, and I will give you the crown of life."

"Come, let us worship the Lord."

### TINLEY PARK

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. A. Buddenhagen, Pastor

Rev. Buddenhagen has been attending a Lutheran conference at Mendota the fore part of this week.

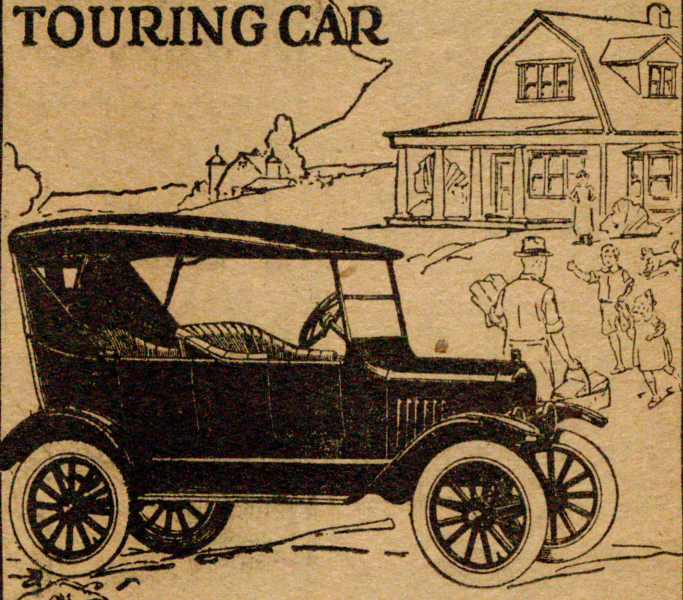
The new piano recently purchased by the Luther League arrived Friday.

The social meeting of the Luther League has been canceled for this month.

Mrs. Wm. Koehler entertained the Ladies' Aid of the Zion Lutheran church. There was a good attendance. A feature of the monthly meetings of this society will be a "coffee."

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### Only 4 Votes Cast At Mokena Election

The Mokena school election, held Saturday afternoon, was one of the most tame affairs held in years, only four votes being cast. James Cooper was re-elected without any opposition.

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